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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the Application of:

Kevin Peter PICOTT

Serial No. 09/580,563

Group Art Unit: 2628

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Examiner: Motilewa A. Good-Johnson

For: SYSTEM FOR PASSING ALGORITHMS WITH POLYMORPHIC PARAMETER SETS IN
A DEPENDENCY GRAPH OF A GRAPHICS CREATION PROCESS

SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED FIGURES

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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Sir:

In accordance with the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) dated July 21, 2003 and the Notice of Allowability mailed April 3, 2008, enclosed are Corrected (formal) Drawings (Figures 1-6), each labeled as "Replacement Sheet."

The Notice of Allowability mailed April 3, 2008 also refers to changes required by the Examiner's comments in the Office Action dated August 27, 2002. However, as mentioned in the Amendment filed November 27, 2002, Figure 3 discussed on page 5 of the application, depicts an implementation of a system of the present invention. As such, a system as in figure 3 which includes the invention is contended to not be prior art. As a result, labeling Figure 3 as prior art would be inaccurate.

Further, since the requirement to label Figure 3 with a prior art label was withdrawn from subsequent Office Actions, Applicants respectfully submit that this requirement has been traversed. As noted in at least MPEP 707.07(f), a failure of the Examiner to address the Applicants' traversals can be deemed a failure to rebut these arguments so as to admit that the arguments have overcome the rejection. As such, the comments regarding Figure 3 raised in the previous Office Action(s) are considered as having been traversed.

If there are any questions regarding this submission, such questions can be addressed to the undersigned by telephone.

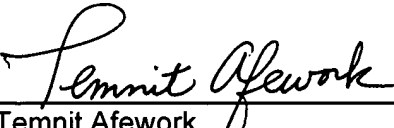
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Respectfully submitted,

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